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 For: METHOD FOR POWDERIZING) November 13, 2009
 NON-SACCHARIDE INGREDIENTS...)

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed August 20, 2009, please
amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.